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complete search. Applicants anticipate that the Examiner, in the normal course of examination, will make an independent search consistent with 37 CFR §1.104, and, in the course of such search, will review for relevance every document listed on the attached form even if not initialed.

As to reference CH 688 504 A5, Applicants have enclosed an English translation of page 9, line 49 to page 10, line 59 and page 18, line 44 to page 19, line 28. Applicants make no representation as to the accuracy of the translation.

Applicants request early and favorable consideration of this application.

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This supplemental information disclosure statement is filed together with a request for continued examination. Thus, Applicants believe that they do not owe any fee for filing this supplemental information disclosure statement. If, however, Applicants do owe any such fee(s), the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fee(s) to Deposit Account No. **08-0750**. In addition, if there is ever any other fee deficiency or overpayment under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 or §1.17 in connection with this patent application, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such deficiency or overpayment to Deposit Account No. **08-0750**.

The Examiner is requested to call the undersigned if any questions arise that can be addressed over the phone to expedite examination of this application.

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